

Butte County AQMD Complaint Report

Complaint ID 050819.01

Complainant/Initiator		Complainant Phone	Complainant Address:	
Entity ID	Complaint Against:	Location of Occurrence:	Month-Date Year	Time
	AQ Inquiry, wood processing f	Durham Pentz x Clark Rd	5/8/2019 2019	10:15am
Nature of Complaint I am wondering what is contributing to the hazy air quality. The air quality was forecasted to be good, but I can't see the foothills/mountains. I am a local biologist and work with several different groups (ie: Citizen Monitoring Programs, etc.). I probably get 40+ emails a week about water and air quality in Butte County after the Camp Fire. Is it better, worse? I want to make sure I am relaying the correct information. Also, what about advocacy opportunities?				
Received By (Staff Name) Michelle Hanson				

Findings and Action of AQMD Staff

and I discussed the difference between PM2.5 and PM10 and how the District forecasts air quality. In response to her advocacy question, I informed her of our monthly Board Meetings.

During my conversation with , she passed by a new wood processing facility at Durham Pentz x Clark Rd, near Butte College. She stated it had just popped up recently and that there were fugitive dust issues. While I was on the phone with her, she pulled into the facility and asked what company was in charge of the operation? The worker told her Two-Play (?). stated there was a lot of equipment on-site including chippers. She also stated there was a water truck on-site, but it was not in-use. She said that it did appear they were "trying" though as the ground inside the facility appeared wetted.

I assured we would look into the facility. I also told her I would have a staff member call her back regarding her air quality questions and advocacy inquiry. She thanked me.

See Complaint #050819.03 for wood processing facility inspection findings. Referred information to Jason Mandly for follow-up call.

Responsible Part Corrective Action Taken

N/A

AQMD Follow-up Required:

N/A

Complaint Type Code Dust	Nature of Emissions Fugitive dust	Rule ID 205	Complainant Notified of Disposition N/A	
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NON # 0	NTA # 0	NTC # 0	NOI# 0	Photographs # Sample #
Investigated By (Staff Name) Michelle Hanson		Date Investigated 5/8/2019		
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Complainant comments				